

persons so suspected of having become disqualified and shall within twenty-four hours thereafter deposit in the postoffice at Snow Hill by first class mail a notice addressed to said suspected person at Snow Hill and likewise to such other address of said person as may be known to such registration officers or either of them giving notice to the said suspected person to show cause on or before the following Wednesday why his name should not be stricken from said list and in the sitting of said registration officers on said following Wednesday they shall consider such suspected cases and act on the same by striking the same from said registration list or allowing the same to remain thereon as in their judgment may be proper and they may also at said second day of their sittings register such applicants for registration as they may deem are entitled thereto and who shall present themselves for registration; and any person feeling himself aggrieved by the action of said registration officers in registering, failing to register, striking off or failing to strike off the name of any person or persons from said registration list shall have the right to appeal to the Circuit Court for Worcester County, Maryland, within five days from the decision appealed from and the Circuit Court for Worcester County shall hear said appeals before the second Monday in May; and on the docketing of such appeal cases the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Worcester County shall issue summons for the person whose right to vote is in question, returnable at the hour and place to be fixed by the Court for hearing of such cases. The registration by revision shall continue for nine years, but every tenth year there shall be an entirely new general registration, the intermediate years being by revision, that is to say, in the year 1920, there shall be a new general registration and again in 1930, and every tenth year thereafter, the registration in intermediate years being by revision as aforesaid. The right of appeal herein provided for shall apply both to general and intermediate registration years.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted as aforesaid,* That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency law and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, and being passed upon a ye and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

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